

SUMMARY: The proposed information collection requirement described below will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

DATES: *Comments Due Date:* August 23, 2002

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposed by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: Wayne Eddins, Reports Management Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street, SW, L'Enfant Plaza Building, Room 8003, Washington, DC 20410.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Delores A. Pruden, Director, Neighborhood Networks, Office of Housing Assistance and Grant Administration, Multifamily Housing Programs, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW, Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 708-4135 (this is not a toll free number) for copies of the proposed forms and other available information.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department is submitting the proposed information collection to OMB or review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

This Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

Title of Proposal: Survey of Neighborhood Networks Centers.

OMB Control Number, if applicable: None.

Description of the need for the information and proposed use: Launched by HUD's Office of Multifamily Housing Programs in September 1995, Neighborhood

Networks is a community-based program that encourages the development of resource and community technology centers in HUD insured and assisted housing. Common factors have contributed to overall program success and sustainability. Likewise, there are common obstacles to starting and maintaining successful Neighborhood Networks Centers. HUD's Office of Multifamily Housing Programs is planning to conduct surveys of Neighborhood Networks Center Directors to document Center characteristics in five key areas: (1) Center and user demographics, (2) Center capacity, (3) programs offered, (4) overall progress, and (5) obstacles or barriers to success. The surveys will identify commonalities and trends that will guide the future of the Neighborhood Networks Program.

Agency form numbers, if applicable: None.

Estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response: Based on a starting sample of approximately 1,000 Directors and Coordinators of Neighborhood Networks Centers, and an estimated 80 percent response rate, the survey will be administered to approximately 800 respondents. For the current data collection, the frequency of response will be on occasion and annually, with an estimated response time of 25 minutes per respondent. The estimated total annual burden is 336 hours.

Status of the proposed information collection: New Collection.

Authority: The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C., Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: June 13, 2002.

Sean G. Cassidy,

General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Housing-Deputy Federal Housing Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4734-N-27]

Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB Consolidated Plan

AGENCY: Office of the Chief Information Officer, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of

Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

DATES: *Comments Due Date:* July 24, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval number (2506-0117) and should be sent to: Lauren Wittenberg, OMB Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503; Fax number (202) 395-6974; E-mail Lauren.Wittenberg@omb.eop.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Wayne Eddins, Reports Management Officer, QDAM, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, Southwest, Washington, DC 20410; e-mail Wayne.Eddins@HUD.gov; telephone (202) 708-2374. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of the proposed forms and other available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Mr. Eddins.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department has submitted the proposal for the collection of information, as described below, to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). The Notice lists the following information: (1) The title of the information collection proposal; (2) the office of the agency to collect the information; (3) the OMB approval number, if applicable; (4) the description of the need for the information and its proposed use; (5) the agency form number, if applicable; (6) what members of the public will be affected by the proposal; (7) how frequently information submissions will be required; (8) an estimate of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information submission including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response; (9) whether the proposal is new, an extension, reinstatement, or revision of an information collection requirement; and (10) the name and telephone number of an agency official familiar with the proposal and of the OMB Desk Officer for the Department.

This Notice also lists the following information:

Title of Proposal: Consolidate Plan.

OMB Approval Number: 2506-0117.

Form Numbers: None.

Description of the Need for the Information and its Proposed Use: The information is collected from all

localities and states participating in any one of CPD's four formula grant programs to determine each

jurisdiction's compliance with statutory and regulatory requirements.

Respondents: State, Local or Tribal Government.
Frequency of Submission: Annually.

	Number of respondents	×	Annual responses	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
Reporting Burden	1,150		1.9		250		549,925

Total Estimated Burden Hours:
549,925.

Status: Extension of currently approved collection.

Authority: Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Dated: July 14, 2002.

Wayne Eddins,

*Departmental Reports Management Officer,
Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

Draft Low Effect Habitat Conservation Plan for the University of California, Davis 2001-2002 Campus Projects, Yolo County, CA

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The University of California, Davis (the "applicant") has applied to the Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) for 10-year incidental take permit for 1 covered species pursuant to section 10(a)(1)(B) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (Act). The applications address the potential for "take" of threatened valley elderberry longhorn beetle (*Desmoncerus californicus dimorphus*) associated with various development activities within the University of California, Davis campus, a 5,300-acre area in portions of Yolo and Solano counties. These activities (the "covered activities") include 10.15 acres of planned land development, and management of a mitigation site. A conservation program to minimize and mitigate for the covered activities would be implemented as described in the University of California, Davis Low Effect Habitat Conservation Plan for 2001-2002 Campus Projects (Plan), which would be implemented by the applicant.

The Service requests comments on the permit application and on the preliminary determination that the Plan qualifies as a "Low-effect" Habitat

Conservation Plan, eligible for a categorical exclusion under the National Environmental Policy Act. The basis for this determination is discussed in Environmental Action Statement, which is also available for public review.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before July 24, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be addressed to the Field Supervisor, Fish and Wildlife Service, Sacramento Fish and Wildlife Office, 2800 Cottage Way, W-2605, Sacramento, California 95825. Written comments may be sent by facsimile to (916) 414-6711.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Vicki Campbell, Chief, Conservation Planning Division, at the Sacramento Fish and Wildlife Office (see **ADDRESSES**); telephone: (916) 414-6600.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Availability of Documents

Individuals wishing copies of the application, Plan, and Environmental Action Statement should immediately contact the Service by telephone at (916) 414-6600 or by letter to the Sacramento Fish and Wildlife Office [see **ADDRESSES**]. Copies of the Plan, and Environmental Action Statement also are available for public inspection, during regular business hours, at the Sacramento Fish and Wildlife Office [see **ADDRESSES**]; University of California, Davis, Office of Resource Management and Planning, One Shields Avenue, 376 Mark Hall, Davis, California 95616; and, University of California, Davis, Shields Library, Reserve Room, Davis, California 95616.

Background Information

Section 9 of the Act and Federal regulation prohibit the "take" of animal species listed as endangered or threatened. Take is defined under the Act as harass, harm, pursue, hunt, shoot, wound, kill, trap, capture or collect listed animal species, or attempt to engage in such conduct (16 U.S.C. 1538). However, under limited circumstances, the Service may issue permits to authorize "incidental take" of listed animal species. "Incidental take" is defined by the Act as take that is incidental to, and not the purpose of, carrying out of an otherwise lawful

activity. Regulations governing permits for threatened species and endangered species, respectively, are at 50 CFR 17.32 and 50 CFR 17.22.

The applicant is seeking permits for take of the federally listed threatened valley elderberry longhorn beetle (*Desmoncerus californicus dimorphus*) during the life of the permit. This species is referred to as the "covered species" in the Plan.

The project encompasses five different sites; the Genome Launch Facility, the Cole Facility Stormwater Improvements, the Center for Companion Animal Health, the NEES Facility, and Phase 2B Electrical Improvement project. The Genome Launch Facility includes the construction of an approximately 21,000 square foot laboratory building, including extending utilities along existing utility corridors, converting an existing parking area and gravel driveway to landscaping, and replacing a paved road with a sidewalk and landscaping. The Cole Facility Stormwater Improvements consists of implementing stormwater drainage improvements, including installing new rain gutters and down spouts on 5 buildings in the Cole Equestrian Facility, installing new storm piping to collect rainwater from the downspouts of 13 roofs (currently runs onto the ground within animal stall areas), and install a new sewer line that will drain an existing storm line into the sewer system. The Center for Companion Animal Health project includes the construction of an approximately 10,000 square foot veterinary medicine building and parking lot. The project would involve the removal of an existing building and pasture land currently located onsite. The NEES Facility project is the construction of a 4,720 square foot building. The Phase 2B Electrical Improvement project consists of replacing approximately two miles of above ground electrical distribution lines, including replacing poles, conductors, insulators and other miscellaneous mounting hardware.

Six elderberry shrubs, containing 130 stems, greater than 1-inch at the ground level, at the Genome Launch Facility site will be impacted by the project. Four elderberry shrubs, containing 21